

HONOR GIVEN TO ROOSEVELT

For Successful Termination of Peace Conference.

THE WHOLE WORLD REJOICES

The Japanese by Accepting Russia's Terms Have Won a Diplomatic Victory and the Admiration of All Nations—Statistics Concerning War.

Portsmouth, N. H., August 31.—The great strain under which the plenipotentiaries, attaches, correspondents and summer guests have been laboring for three weeks is over. Peace is concluded.

Only the actual framing of the treaty and the formalities of its signature remain. It has been decided that the room in the conference building where the plenipotentiaries yesterday came to agreement shall be the scene of the final act in the "treaty of Portsmouth," which is to put an end to this historic war. The plenipotentiaries yesterday adjourned subject to call unless some unexpected difference arises, there will not be another formal meeting until the draft of the treaty is complete. And even should a controversy occur, it would not necessarily compel a formal meeting as the plenipotentiaries living under the same roof are in a position

as those who compose the official and social circles in England are not gathered around the moors, some of them out of reach of the telegraph. With the general public the news was received with the greatest satisfaction, and admiration for Japan's "sacrifices in the cause of peace."

The announcement that peace had been arranged caused the stock markets to open with a somewhat buoyant tendency today and prices established a smart advance, particularly in the case of Russian bonds, which gained four points. Japanese bonds were also affected, but not to such a great extent, they opening at 1½ points higher.

Both papers and the public were so astounded at the results that they feel there is something in the agreement arrived at which has not yet been published, and that if this is not the case then the new Anglo-Japanese treaty



BARON KOMURA.
Japan's Chief Plenipotentiary.

has affected the result in some way. In this connection the Pall Mall Gazette says:

"The enlarged treaty with England may have had considerable weight in persuading the Mikado and his advisors that Japan's position in the Far East is now practically impregnable and that peace may be made without pressing for the payment of costs."

New Glory for Japanese.

Vienna, August 31.—The news of the conclusion of peace through Japanese concessions was totally unexpected here and was received with amazement so great that many persons are still of the opinion that the facts will show that Russia made some valuable concessions. At all events it is admitted that a memorable happening which is adding new glory to the Japanese to those won on the battlefield. Great praise is given President Roosevelt for his indefatigable efforts to secure peace. The foreign office immediately forwarded the news to Emperor Francis Joseph, who is witnessing the maneuvers on the field of Roseno in the southern Tyrol.

Russia to Float Big Loan.

New York, August 31.—American bankers are now prepared to float a great Russian loan and it is stated this morning that as a matter of fact financiers in this city have had the terms of a Russian loan in mind for five months past and the Russian government has known that upon the conclusion of peace it could raise money here. Hitherto the foreign bankers have taken the first steps in raising money for the combatants and American bankers were asked to associate themselves with the foreign houses. But the American firms will this time, it is understood in financial circles, ask London, Berlin and Paris to take part in the new loan.

Enthusiasm in Denmark.

Copenhagen, August 31.—General satisfaction at the conclusion of peace is expressed here in court and official circles and great enthusiasm is manifested in the press and among the people over President Roosevelt and M. Witte. King Christian sent a telegram of felicitations to Emperor Nicholas upon the favorable conclusion of the war and to the American minister here sent felicitations and homage on behalf of President Roosevelt.

Germans Agree With Americans.

Berlin, August 31.—Chancellor von Buelow in acknowledgment of the cable dispatches from the Associated Press with the announcement of peace and an outline of the terms of the agreement, says:

"In their reception of this fortunate result, the German advocates of peace are in full agreement with the Americans."

King Edward Is Pleased.

Marienbad, Austria, August 31.—King Edward upon receipt of the peace announcement immediately dispatched his congratulations to the emperors of Japan and Russia, and to President Roosevelt and notified Queen Alexandra of his joy at receiving such news.

Cause of the Conflict.

1. Russia's policy of playing fast and loose with her promises as to the evacuation of Manchuria, whereby China's sovereignty over that land was practically annulled, and the equal commercial rights therein of the rest of world seriously threatened.

2. Russia's refusal to recognize Japan's paramount interests in Korea

and her own "diplomatic" moves in that peninsula, looking toward treaty rights, under which she might gain control of the port of Pusan—the more northern harbors of Vladivostok and Port Arthur having proved less serviceable than had been anticipated.

3. Japan's 7-year old grudge against Russia for ousting her from Port Arthur at the close of her contest with China and (also) Russia's fatal ignorance of Japan's preparedness and her over-confidence in her own strength.

Duration of War.

From Feb. 5, 1904, to June 11, 1905—493 days. Note—June 11 is the date on which Russia and Japan agreed to meet to consider peace. There has been no armistice since June 11, but there has been no fighting.

What the Nations Gain.

By the terms of the peace treaty now being drafted, Japan wins everything which she went to war. Japan receded only as to indemnity, the interned Russian warships and the limitation of Russia's naval power in the Far East.

Japan Gains—Korea, Port Arthur and Liao Tung peninsula, drives Russia out of Manchuria, gains half of Sakhalin, takes over railroads built by Russia in Manchuria, and will be liberally paid for maintenance of Russian prisoners.

Russia Saves—Payment of indemnity, interned warships and limitation of her sea power in oriental waters.

What the War Has Cost.

Russia had in Manchuria in February, 1904, 60,000 men; she has since sent out to the front 780,000 men. Japan is said to have mobilized 700,000 men. Total forces engaged since the



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outbreak of the war (about) 1,540,000 men. Of these, the killed, permanently disabled and invalided home have been computed at 625,000; 375,000 Russians and 250,000 Japanese.

Japan has suffered the loss of only one prominent officer, Commander Oda; the Russian officers of rank slain are Count Keller, Generals Rutkovsky, Smolensky, Rialinkin, Tserpitsy, Kondratchenko, Commander Stepanoff and Admirals Makaroff, Molos, Vosker-sham and Witthoff.

In money, according to figures published in the Gazette, of St. Petersburg, the war has cost Russia (including property destroyed) \$1,075,000,000.

On the 5th of June it was estimated at Tokyo that the cost to Japan had been close in the neighborhood of \$475,000,000.

Bringing the total money cost (at the time of the agreement to peace parleys) to \$1,550,000,000.

In ships, the losses have been as follows:

Russia.	Japan.
13 Battleships	2
18 Cruisers	4
2 Coast Defense Boats	1
3 Special Service Vessels	1
19 Destroyers	3
4 Gunboats	0
6 Torpedo Boats	10
3 Transports	3
68	24

General Strike in Libau.

Libau, August 31.—A general strike has been brought about here by the order for the mobilization of troops. No factories are running, port loading has been discontinued and the street railroads have stopped operations. Steam railroad communication has been interrupted and there are no newspapers issued. The arrival of reservists from the neighborhood and country districts has added to the confusion, as well as to the possibilities of disorder. The situation is growing tense, and many soldiers are patrolling the street.

Reunion Not Postponed.

Chattanooga, August 31.—The local secretary of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland, says that the reunion here next month of the Forty-second anniversary of the battle of Chickamauga is not off. The society will hold the railroads to the Chicago rates offered. Nearly every northern state was represented at the battle.

Ancient Crater in Operation.

Messina, Sicily, August 31.—The ancient crater in the island of St. Rombo, is in full operation and is ejecting a heavy mass of lava. Dense smoke hangs over the island. Panic prevails in the villages around the volcano, and the villagers are leaving.

CONDITIONS AT NEW ORLEANS ARE BETTER

Small Death Rate Is Very Encouraging Sign.

BUSINESS IS STILL AFFECTED

Citizens of the Crescent City Have Taken New Courage and Believe that the Plague Will Soon Be Wiped Out—A Case at Pensacola, Fla.

New Orleans, August 31.—Bringing 50,000 bunches of bananas, the first cargo of fruit entering here for several weeks, the steamer Asparita from Port Limon, landed today at Port Chalmette and immediately began the discharge of her cargo into screening cars to be taken west by the Illinois Central railroad. The laborers to handle the fruit were carried to Chalmette in barges from New Orleans and the work of unloading and shipment was under the direct supervision of the marine hospital service. It is expected that New Orleans will be able to at once relieve any fruit famine existing in the west. There was no change in the fever situation today, the morning starting with the usual number of new cases and deaths.

New Orleans Gratified.

The details of the peace settlement at Portsmouth, with resulting gratification over the successful role played by President Roosevelt temporarily distracted attention from the local fever situation, which today is regarded as manifesting signs of improvement not dreamed of a month ago. As a menace to life the visitation is no longer viewed with concern, though it is probable probable that it will last all throughout the coming month, and the only cause for worry is the knowledge that while deaths continue to appear lifting of quarantines is improbable.

September 1 is the date of the opening of the business season but the full tide of it will not be attained until the railroads are again enabled to put on their complete service. Nevertheless, the trade editions of the various newspapers which appear tomorrow and Friday indicate that the passing year has been one of the most prosperous in the history of New Orleans, while there is a general feeling that the success of the fever fight means extraordinary development of trade here hereafter. The day dawned clear, with some rise in the temperature, though the weather forecast is still for showers. Notwithstanding the weather changes, however, the mortality report continues to be one of the most significant signs that the fever has lost much of its malignancy.

Some of the interesting statistics are being prepared by the marine hospital service. Among them is a record of cases by streets. It shows that Hospital street in the originally infected quarter, has been the worst sufferer, with 154 cases, of which close to 90 were in one square, that between Decatur and Charles. St. Phillips street has had 128 cases, Charles street has had 116 and Royal 92. Three of these streets are all below Canal street.

Case at Pensacola Reported.

Mobile, Ala., August 31.—City Health Officer Dr. Rieth Goode received a telegram this morning from State Health Officer Joseph Y. Porter, of Florida, confirming the night report of yellow fever at Pensacola, Fla. He said that the Greeks did not have any medical attention and were now in the convalescent stage. A cordon of guards have been placed around the squares where the cases are located. The houses have been screened and fumigated as per the plans adopted at West Tampa, Fla.

Two Killed in Wreck.

Washington, August 31.—The rear coach of a South Carolina and Georgia railroad turned over at Reynolds street crossing, Augusta, Ga., today. F. J. Murphy, police health officer of Augusta, and George W. Lyle, bagman, were killed. The injured are J. A. Brown, employee, Augusta yard, back sprained; M. Kalliskie, passenger, Augusta, side slightly hurt. The train had just left the Augusta union station and was moving about 2 miles an hour through the city.

Three Killed by Earthquake.

New York, August 31.—A violent earthquake is reported from Sultana and Palena, simultaneous with the eruption of Vesuvius and Stromboli cables the Naples correspondent of the Herald. Many houses fell, church steeples tottered and there was a great panic. The population fled to the country districts. Three persons are reported killed and more than a hundred wounded.

Mistrial in Murder Case.

Hawkinsville, Ga., August 31.—The jury in the case of James G. Ingram, charged with the murder of W. H. Harrell, a prominent citizen of Cochran, could not reach a verdict, and a mistrial was declared. The jury had been out three days. Eight were for conviction with a recommendation for mercy, and four were for acquittal.

All forms of eye troubles and chronic diseases, such as: Inflamed or ulcerated eyes, cross eyes, headaches, nervousness, neurasthenia, epilepsy, stomach trouble, constipation, piles, female troubles, etc., overcome without drugs or operation by Dr. E. H. Armstrong. The doctor is a present making a professional tour of middle and south Florida, and will be in Ocala on Sept. 15 and 16, located at the Ocala house. You could not put your case in the hands of one better qualified than Dr. Armstrong, and as those state tours are to be made regularly every three months hereafter, it gives patients the opportunity of having their cases receive constant attention. All cases taken care of for free of additional charge for the period of one year.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT UNDER and by virtue of a final decree entered on the 16th day of August, A. D. 1905, by the Hon. W. S. Bullock, judge of the circuit court of the fifth judicial circuit of Florida, Marion county, in and for said county, wherein Melissia A. Reeves and Philetus J. Reeves were complainants and Daniel W. Clark and Eugene F. Clark were defendants, wherein it was ordered that the undersigned as special master in chancery execute the said final decree, therefore, I will, on

Monday, the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock, a. m., in front of the court house at Ocala, Marion county, Florida, offer for sale, and will sell, to the highest and best bidder for cash, containing thirteen (13) acres, lying and being in Marion county state of Florida. Also one (1) six year old sorrel blazed faced mare, or so much of the above described property as may be necessary to satisfy said decree and costs.

NOTICE OF MASTR'S SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT UNDER and by virtue of a certain final decree entered on the 22nd day of August, A. D. 1905, by the Honorable W. S. Bullock, judge of the Circuit Court of the Fifth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Marion county, in chancery, in a certain cause the complainant Laura W. Pumber, is complainant and Edward O. Reardon, and wife, Alice M. L. Reardon, and W. C. Townsend, are defendants, the undersigned special master in chancery appointed therein to execute said final decree will, on

Monday the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1905, during the legal hours of sale, in front of the south door of the court house in Ocala, Marion county, Florida, offer for sale and will sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described and mortgaged premises, to-wit: North half of west half of northwest quarter and south half of west half of southwest quarter, of section 4, township 12 south, range 25 east, in Marion county, Florida, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the said final decree and costs of suit.

NOTICE

IN Circuit Court Marion County Fifth Judicial Circuit of Florida.—In Chancery. Henry Bird, Complainant, vs. Caroline Bird, Defendant.

IT IS ORDERED THAT THE DEFENDANT herein named, to-wit: Caroline Bird be and she is hereby required to appear to the bill of complaint in this cause on or before

the 6th day of November, A. D. 1905.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for eight consecutive weeks in the Ocala Banner.

NOTICE

Of Application for Tax Deed Under Section 8 of Chapter 4888, Laws of Florida.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT F. B. Turner, purchaser of tax certificate No. 556 and 501, dated the 1st day of June, A. D. 1905, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property situated in Marion county, Florida, to-wit:

Northeast quarter of southwest quarter of northwest quarter of township 16, south range 18 east, and south of southwest quarter of northwest quarter, section 22, township 17 south, range 18 east.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificates in the name of parties unknown. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature, and seal this the 22nd day of August, A. D. 1905.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT T. J. Williams, purchaser of tax certificate Nos. 428, 429, 430, 431 and 432 dated the 1st day of June, A. D. 1905, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property situated in Marion county, Florida, to-wit:

175 yards east and west by 140 yards north and south in southeast corner of northeast quarter of northwest quarter section 8, township 15, range 20, south half of northeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 9, township 15, range 20, south half of southwest quarter and southwest quarter of southeast quarter section 1, township 16, range 20 and southeast quarter of northeast quarter section 29, township 17, range 25.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of J. R. Smith, Johnson & Clark, F. Q. Brown and Unknown. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 10th day of August, A. D. 1905.

S. T. SISTRUNK,
Clerk Circuit Court Marion County, Florida.

NOTICE

In the Circuit Court of the Fifth Judicial Circuit of Florida, in and for Marion County, in Chancery.

Westerly Savings Bank, a corporation under the laws of the state of Rhode Island, Complainant, vs. E. C. Hesse and James F. Redding, Receivers of the American Savings Bank, Frances S. Mosher, Claude E. Connor, Rubie C. Connor, Miriam L. Connor, and Miriam L. Connor, Trustee for Eugene Connor, Rosalie Connor and Mary Connor, Defendants.

IT IS ORDERED THAT THE DEFENDANTS herein named, E. C. Hesse and James F. Redding, receivers of the American Savings Bank, Frances S. Mosher, Claude E. Connor, Rubie C. Connor, Miriam L. Connor and Miriam L. Connor, trustee for Eugene Connor, Rosalie Connor and Mary Connor, be and they are hereby required to appear to the bill of complaint in this cause on or before

Monday the 4th day of September, A. D. 1905.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for eight consecutive weeks in the Ocala Banner.

This the 7th day of July, A. D. 1905.

[Seal] S. T. SISTRUNK,
Clerk Circuit Court Marion County, Florida.

ROCKEY & DUBAL, By H. S. Sistrunk, D. C. Complainant's Solicitor.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT J. L. Parker, purchaser of tax certificate No. 473 dated the 1st day of June, A. D. 1905, has filed said certificate in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificate embraces the following described property situated in Marion county, Florida, to-wit: Lots 15 sub of northwest quarter section 14, township 15, range 22.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of party unknown. Unless said certificate shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 2nd day of Aug. A. D. 1905.

S. T. SISTRUNK,
Clerk Circuit Court Marion County, Florida.

NOTICE

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT W. P. Williamson, purchaser of tax certificate No. 524, dated the 4th day of April, A. D. 1905, and certificate 247, of June 1st, A. D. 1905, has filed said certificates in my office, and has made application for tax deed to issue in accordance with law. Said certificates embrace the following described property situated in Marion county, Florida, to-wit:

Northeast quarter of lot 5 section 20 and lot 7 except 5 acres on east side section 27 all in township 13 range 25.

The said land being assessed at the date of the issuance of such certificate in the name of parties unknown. Unless said certificates shall be redeemed according to law, tax deed will issue thereon on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1905.

Witness my official signature and seal this the 10th day of August, A. D. 1905.

S. T. SISTRUNK,
Clerk Circuit Court Marion County, Florida.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO SELL LIQUORS, WINES AND BEER.

WHEREAS H. J. PRUCHT HAS FILED with the Board of County Commissioners for Marion County, Florida, his application for permit to sell liquors, wines and beer in Election District One of said county and state; any citizen of such election district may show cause, if there be, at the meeting of the board to be held on Monday, the 4th day of September next at 2 o'clock p. m., why such should not be granted.

[Seal] S. T. SISTRUNK,
Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, Marion County, Florida.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO SELL LIQUORS WINES AND BEER.

WHEREAS GEORGE W. DAVIS AND Harry E. Leavengood have filed with the board of county commissioners for Marion county, Florida, their application for permit to sell liquors, wines and beer in Election District One of said county and state; any citizen of such election district may show cause, if any there be, at the meeting of the board to be held on Monday, the 4th day of September next at 2 o'clock p. m., why such permit should not be granted.

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WHEREAS BLUTHENTHAL AND BIRKBAK have filed with the board of county commissioners for Marion county, Florida, their application for permit to sell liquors, wines and beer in Election District One of said county and state; any citizen of such election district may show cause, if any there be, at the meeting of the board to be held on Monday, the 4th day of September next at 2 o'clock p. m., why such permit should not be granted.

[Seal] S. T. SISTRUNK,
Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, Marion County, Florida.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Executors notice to creditor, etc.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL creditors having claims against the estate of Robert Bull, deceased, will present the same to the undersigned executor for payment, duly authenticated with two (2) receipts from this date, or payment will be refused. August 11th 1905.

WILLIE SULL, C. Executor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the estate of Henry T. Warren, deceased, are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned administrator of said estate at Ocala, Florida, within one year from the date hereof, as prescribed by law.

Aug. 19 1905

ED. L. WARTMANN